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Dear Sir:

RE: US Patent Application No: 10/724,367
Applicant: Carl Pinsky et al.
Filed: December 1, 2003
Examiner: Bot L. Ledyne
Group No.: 2862
Title: DETECTION OF ELECTROMAGNETIC FIELDS

This communication is in response to the Office Action of March 4, 2005.

Petition is hereby made under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) for an extension of one month of the period for response to the Office Action. Enclosed is authorization to charge the fee for a Small Entity to our deposit account.

The Examiner considered that the claims are directed to patentably distinct species of the claimed invention. The Examiner identified three species. The applicant hereby elects species III, concerning atoms in the substance.

Claims 16 to 20 and claims 26 to 31 are directed to species III.

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Although this election is made, it is made without prejudice to the applicants right to have consideration of claims to additional species, upon allowance of generic claim.

Yours very truly,



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Enclosure(s)